COVERAGE NAME: DSV_URB

COVERAGE AREA: Statewide, County

COVERAGE DESCRIPTION:

The DSV_URB coverage is a polygon coverage representing the 1990 Caltrans urban area boundaries in California which were derived from the 1990 Census urban area boundaries.

USER NOTES:

Polygons representing census urban areas do not always reflect the official 1990 Census urban area boundaries designated by the Bureau of Census. Polygons representing rural areas may be found within an urban area polygon. The item attributes COFIP, STCOFIP and CO are not included in the Statewide coverage.

VITAL STATISTICS:

Datum:	NAD 83
Projection:	Albers
Units:	Meters
1st Std. Parallel:	34 degrees N
2nd Std. Parallel:	40.5 degrees N
Longitude of Origin:	-120 degrees W
Latitude of Origin:	0 degrees N
False Easting:	0
False Northing:	-4,000,000
Source Media:	Caltrans County Map Series
Source Projection:	Latitude/Longitude (Geographic)
Source Units:	Meters
Source Scale:	1:24,000
Capture Method:	Digitized
Conversion Software:	ARC/INFO rev. 6.0
Data Structure:	Vector
ARC/INFO Coverage Type:	Polygon
ARC/INFO Precision:	Double
ARC/INFO Tolerances:	20 meters
Data Updated:	February 1998
Update Media:	Caltrans County Map Series
Update Method:	Digitizing
Update Software:	ARC/INFO rev. 7.0.3

DATA DICTIONARY:

File name: DSV_URB.PAT
Record length: 79

NOTE: Items common to all polygon coverages: AREA, PERIMETER, <coverage>#, and
<coverage>-ID are not described here.

COLUMN	ITEM NAME	WIDTH	OUTPUT	TYPE	N.DEC
17	NAME	40	40	C	-
57	URBCODE	3	3	I	-
60	URBCEN	4	4	I	-
64	SUFIP	5	5	I	-
69	COFIP	3	3	I	-
72	STCOFIP	5	5	I	-
77	CO	3	3	C	-

ITEM DESCRIPTIONS:

NAME: Name of the urban or urbanized areas as specified by FHWA

URBCODE: Urban Area Census Code
             Unique urbanized area code as specified by FHWA

URBCEN: This item is coded to represent the MSA/CMSA/PMSA/NECMA code which is a
             Four-digit FIPS code assigned to metropolitan areas in alphabetic sequence. These
             codes are published by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) in
             Federal Information Processing Standard (FIPS) Publication 8-5, issued October 31,
             1984, and related updates.

SUFIP: Small Urban Area FIPS Code
             Unique urban area code as specified by FHWA

COFIP: County fips code
             Specified by FHWA

STCOFIP: State county fips code
             Specified by FHWA

CO: Caltrans county abbreviations

RELATIONAL DATA DESCRIPTION:

Currently there are no data relationships established.

DATABASE RELATION:

Currently there are no database relationships established.

DATA QUALITY ASSESSMENT: